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## SOVIETS CONTINUE TO ADVANCE; NAZIS THROW IN RESERVES

Germans Make A Desperate Effort To Combat Advancing Russian Tankists

15,000 NAZIS KILLED

Letters Found On Dead Germans Speak of "Terrible Losses" Suffered

(By International News Service)

Declaring that a state of war exists between Mexico and the Axis nations by virtue of Axis submarine attacks on Mexican ships, President Manuel Avila Camacho today prepared to go before a special session of Congress and ask for a formal declaration of war against Germany, Italy and Japan.

The Red army smashed closer to the important city of Kharkov, pushing the Nazis back in strong offensive assaults.

In its noon communique the Soviet high command said the Germans had been dislodged from several additional strongly fortified positions and that the Russian troops were consolidating their gains along the 100-mile front.

The Nazis strove to slow down the progress of Marshal Semyon Timoshenko's armies through counterattacks but every effort of the Germans was said to have been repulsed.

Pierceness of the battling was indicated by the official announcement that 15,000 Germans had been slain in three days of fighting on the Izyum-Barvenkovo sector.

Axis reports claimed that German and Romanian forces were launching a new counter-offensive in the Southern Ukraine aimed at recapturing the city of Rostov from which the Nazis were driven last winter. The Germans and Romanians were said to have begun a drive along the Taganrog-Rostov Railway.

Another Axis claim asserted that German Field Marshal Fedor Von Bock was concentrating mighty mechanized units in the Slavyansk region, 110 miles northwest of Taganrog. Part of these forces, it was claimed, succeeded in advancing northward to occupy two bridgeheads on the left bank of the Donets River behind Soviet lines.

A new Nazi attempt to subdue the Russian naval base at Sevastopol was reported in Axis dispatches. It was said numerous troops had been withdrawn from the Kerch Peninsula to deliver a knockout blow to the Black Sea base which reportedly has been under air bombardment for the past 48 hours.

The Japanese were revealed to have suffered terrific losses in men and equipment in a futile invasion attempt in the Chinese coastal province of Fukien. Half of the Japanese troops landed from a score of transports were said in Chungking to have been slain by defending troops.

Savage battles continued in Chekiang province, just north of Fukien, as the Chinese fought desperately to stem Jap attempts to push southward from Kihwa.

The Royal Air Force during the early morning soared across the English Channel to attack the Nazi submarine base at St. Nazaire on the coast of occupied France. Mines were laid in waters under enemy control. All the British planes returned safely.

MOSCOW, May 23.—(INS)—In a desperate effort to combat advancing Soviet tankists who roared into battle riding on the tops of their heavily armed vehicles, the German high command threw vast new reserves of men, machines and aircraft into the fray.

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## LATEST NEWS BULLETINS

### Two Jap Ships Damaged; 13 Planes Destroyed

United Nations Headquarters in Australia—Two Japanese ships were damaged and 13 enemy planes destroyed or crippled in the new United Nations air attacks on Lae and Rabaul, General Douglas MacArthur's headquarters announced today.

The communique said:

"New Guinea, Lae—Our air force attacked the airdrome and enemy shipping. Two Japanese bombers were destroyed on the ground and a tanker in the harbor severely damaged. Eight Japanese fighters attempted to intercept our bombers. Five were shot down while all our planes returned safely.

"New Britain, Rabaul—Six enemy heavy bombers were badly damaged in an allied raid on the airdrome. A large transport in the harbor was left in crippled condition. The enemy's attempts to intercept our planes were ineffective."

### 14 Sentenced To Death

London—The London press today reported a dispatch from Berlin by the German transoceanic radio stating that 14 persons had been sentenced to death in Mannheim on charges of supporting the enemy.

(Mannheim, large inland port and industrial city on the upper Rhine, was subjected early this week to a severe raid by Royal Air Force planes which dropped hundreds of tons of bombs on Nazi war production factories.)

### OFFICERS INSTALLED FOR THE YARDLEY CLUB

Members Hear Talk by Mrs. Mary G. Roebeling, Trenton, Following Luncheon

### COMMITTEES ARE LISTED

YARDLEY, May 23.—The Yardley Civic Club closed its year's work with a luncheon and meeting in St. Andrew's parish house on Thursday afternoon, with Mrs. Mary G. Roebeling, Trenton, N. J., as the guest speaker.

Mrs. Roebeling took as her subject, "Women in Business," tracing the history of women in national importance.

Mrs. Walter Ely, New Hope, president of Bucks County Federation of Pennsylvania Women's Clubs, installed the new officers for the coming year, as follows: President, Miss Helen W. Leedom, vice-presidents, Mrs. William H. Rorer, Mrs. Durrell L. Noyes; secretary, Mrs. Harold N. Curtis; treasurer, Mrs. William D. Pardee. The directors are: Mrs. Robert M. Barbour, Mrs. Alfred A. Daner, Mrs. D. Taylor Ivins, and Mrs. Herbert Conover.

During the buffet luncheon served under direction of Mrs. Robert C. Belleville, 3rd, Edward C. Hill, Trenton, favored with a number of accordion selections.

The decorations were in charge of Mrs. Vincent P. Shaudys, Mrs. William Kirkbride, Mrs. Bruce B. Woodhouse. Guest corsages were made by Mrs. Peter Raymond Smith, of flowers from her own garden.

The guests at the affair included: Mrs. Richard Landis, Morrisville; Mrs. E. Linton Martin, Bristol; Mrs. Walter Ely, New Hope; Mrs. Eugene Stapler, Yardley; Mrs. William Fabian, Newtown; Miss Miriam Broadhurst, Buckingham; and Mrs. Mary G. Roebeling, of Trenton.

Miss Leedom appointed the following committee chairman for the coming season: Program, Mrs. Durrell L. Noyes, chairman, Mrs. A. H. Torongo, Mrs. Mitchell Carter, Mrs. Robert DeVecchi, Mrs. Charles F. Cook, and Mrs. James W. Boring; garden and conservation, Mrs. Laura R. Ross; education, Mrs. Vincent D. Shaudys; library, Mrs. Elwell Lake; art, Mrs. William Rorer; scrap book, Mrs. Bruce B. Woodhouse; drama, Mrs. J. S. Wright; motion pictures, Mrs. Norman Tallman; radio, Mrs. Ambrose Miller; literature, Mrs. John B. Force; music, Mrs. Harold N. Curtis; home and citizenship, Mrs. C. Elmer Wright; international relations, Mrs. Carleton J. Matthews; legislative and parliamentary, Mrs. A. A. Daner; publicity, Mrs. Walter Thompson; public welfare, Mrs. Louis C. Leedom; finance, Mrs. Paul Arata; courtesy, Mrs. Harry B. Arnel; house, Mrs. Laura R. Ross; transportation, Mrs. William Rorer.

### Portions of Testament Sent To Men in Service

Copies of portions of the New Testament were sent to 18 young men from Bristol Methodist Church who are in service with Uncle Sam's forces, when Mrs. William Mohr's Sunday School class members held a meeting on Wednesday evening.

The group held a meeting at the home of Mrs. Clement Smoyer, Linden street, with Miss Louise Smoyer presiding.

Plans were made for a strawberry festival to be held on June 10th at the Bristol Methodist Church.

Courier Classifieds Pay!

### Need More Spotters To Man Watch Tower Here

There are a number of vacant hours for which spotters are needed at the airplane watch tower which the Bracken Post, American Legion, is establishing at Maple Beach.

Earl McEuen today announced that spotters are needed on Mondays, from one to four a. m., and 7 to 10 a. m.; Tuesdays, from 7 to 10 a. m.; Thursdays, from 4 to 7 a. m., and from 7 to 10 a. m.; Saturdays, from 1 to 4 a. m.; and Sundays, from 4 to 7 a. m.

Both men and women are eligible.

### CROYDON PLANS AN AIR RAID SHELTER

Three Air Raid Whistles Are Being Erected at Croydon Today

### COMMITTEES NAMED

CROYDON, May 23.—Three air raid whistles have been delivered for use in Croydon, it was announced at a meeting of Croydon Defense Council, held Thursday evening in Harrington Hall, Fourth avenue.

One is to be placed on the roof of the Neibauer garage, State Road; one at Fletcher's station, Bristol Pike; and the third at Sattler's station, 5th avenue and State Road. Erection of the whistles will commence today under direction of William Kenn; and tests will be made in the near future, time of tests to be announced in advance.

James E. Harris, chairman of Croydon Defense Council, and deputy warden for Lower Bucks County, presided.

A committee composed of William H. Smith and Howard Robinson, was named to obtain specifications and prices on the building of a bomb shelter, which it is planned to also use as a control center for wardens and police, with telephone center located there too. This will be manned 24 hours a day in case of need, it is announced, with all calls in regard to defense being handled there in time of emergency. The plans call for a shelter five feet underground, and three feet extending above ground, the top of the concrete structure to be protected by sand-bags. Members state they will definitely build such a shelter, quotations to be obtained at once.

Howard Robinson, chief air raid warden of Croydon area, stated that Edward W. Kroonze has been named warden of Zone 3, replacing David Miller, who resigned due to his employment hours. George Tullback was named warden of Zone 6, replacing William Keen, who is now assistant chief.

A banquet was presented to Mrs. Robert Clark, Sr., who has been an active member of the church for over 50 years.

The program numbers were: Piano solo, Eleanor Forster; selection by six members of the church choir, the Misses Blanche Savage, Dorothy and Virginia Vetter, Harriet Stetson, Jane Lynch, and Mrs. Helen Stout, with Mrs. Marburg D. Weagley as accompanist; accordion solo, Miss Janice McEuen; character sketch, Miss Frances Tomlinson; piano solo, Miss Shirley Peet; selection by sextet; vocal solo, Mrs. Charles I. Bowen; character sketch, Miss Tomlinson; piano solos, Mrs. Wallace Ward.

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In honor of her birthday anniversary, Mrs. Theodore B. McGee was presented with a cake, topped by candles.

Pvt. Pasquale C. Squillace, who was stationed at Camp Wheeler, Ga., has been transferred to Camp Somerset, Westover, Md. Pvt. Squillace spent three days recently with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dominick Squillace, and his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Roberts, Pond street.

### RETURN FROM ILLINOIS

Mr. and Mrs. John Updyke, Trenton avenue, have returned home following a week's visit in Carbondale, Ill., where they visited the latter's father, Clifford Grady.

### TONSILS REMOVED

William Dollar, Hayes street, is recuperating from a tonsil operation performed this week in the Wagner Hospital. Guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Dollar this week were Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Tobin, Carteret, N. J.

WHAT OUR BOYS ARE DOING TO WIN THE WAR

GREAT LAKES, Ill., May 23.—Francis Joseph Kryven, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kryven, of 276 Hayes street, Bristol, Pa., who recently enlisted in the U. S. Navy, has been received here for recruit training. During the course of this training, which includes the elementary fundamentals of seamanship, he will be given an aptitude test to determine whether he will be retained for further specialized training in one of the Navy's several service schools, or be sent directly to sea for duty aboard one of the Navy's men-o-war.

## TIRE THIEF GETS SUSPENDED TERM, BUT MUST PAY COSTS

Youth Tells Judge Keller He Plans To Join The Army

### HIS FIRST ARREST

Judge Believes Defendant Did Not Contribute To Minor's Downfall

DOYLESTOWN, May 23.—James Chester, 21, of near Steinsburg, who pleaded guilty of larceny and receiving stolen goods—a tire from a used-car dealer—was given a suspended sentence by President Judge Hiram H. Keller but directed to pay the costs of prosecution of \$42 within 30 days and placed on probation for two years.

Because it was the first time he was ever in trouble and since he was the dupe of a minor rather than a contributing factor to a minor's downfall, the young Bethlehem Steel Corporation worker was given a suspended sentence subject to a detainer from Montgomery county.

Three minors, all of whom live in the Steinsburg and Spinnerstown sections, were heard in juvenile court in connection with the same crime.

"It is evident that one of the boys started this game before you got into it," President Judge Keller said. "You did not contribute to the delinquency of a minor as was the Court's first impression."

"What do you intend to do?" Judge Keller asked the young man who lives with and is the support of his 75-year-old grandfather.

"I think I can best serve my country by enlisting in the army or signing up on a tanker," said the defendant.

Private Andrew J. Kutney, Doylestown sub-station Pennsylvania Motor Policeman, who investigated the series of automobile entry and robbing cases and their stealing, testified that Chester stole a tire, tube and wheel from a used-car or junk yard in Richlandtown.

A charge of burglary, larceny and receiving stolen goods, which involved the theft of a blanket and flashlight the same night the defendant stole the tire, was not pressed since one of the minors entered the car and stole the blanket and flashlight which were later recovered.

The defendant, who said most of his friends were in the army and that was why he ran around with younger boys, testified that instead of taking tires from citizens who needed them he thought of getting them from junkyards and dealers who had them on hand.

"I threw the wheel into Campbell's dam," said the defendant.

He admitted he was always accompanied and that one of the minors, who started him in tire stealing, stole one for his father's car.

Private Kutney testified that the defendant was also charged with a tire theft in Green Lane and that in 1941 he was arrested on suspicion by a Bethlehem Pennsylvania Motor Policeman.

He was in prison since April 29th.

### TOWNSHIP RESIDENTS HEAR BOMB LECTURE

Six Hundred Attend Meeting Held at Bristol High School

### GIVES DEMONSTRATION

Don't believe the propaganda that the war is nearing an end and the caution given last night by speakers at the mass meeting held for residents of Bristol Township in the Bristol high school auditorium.

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## THE STATE AT WAR

HARRISBURG, May 23.—Pennsylvanians in the armed forces are compiling impressive service records and regularly winning outstanding honors, according to the War History Office of the Pennsylvania Historical Commission. Among the latest to receive special citation are: Staff Sergeant Errol W. Wynkoop, Pottsville, for his part in a dangerous flying mission from Washington to the Netherlands East Indies and back; Mechanist's Mate John Yasenchak, Larkville, and Clarence Boeltz, Homestead, and Ensigns Francis E. Pinter, Bethlehem, and Isaac Shively, Fayetteville, for a daring aerial rescue of 17 persons afloat at sea on a raft; Captain Edward Teats, Sharpsburg, for a bombing mission against Japanese shipping in the Philippines; and Private John Bilinski, Philadelphia, for saving a Colonel's daughter from drowning in shark-infested waters off Panama.

Reading's Playground Federation plans a regular summer long salvage campaign as part of the program at its 34 playgrounds this summer. . . . Kensington realized \$133 for its Civilian Defense program by uprooting and selling a line of ornamental metal light poles along one of its streets. . . . A German mortar, captured during World War I, and since adorning a pedestal in Royersford, has been sold for scrap.

The first contingent of 100 sailors in training at Grove City College, will graduate May 29th. . . . The new Livingston Memorial Hall which is nearing completion at Thiel College, Greenville, may be used as a defense housing unit, college trustees have announced. . . . The biggest job getting course on the Penn State College Defense Training program is drafting. . . . Titusville has pledged to buy \$235,753 worth of War Bonds during the next year. . . . Shamokin has pledged \$485,511. . . . Lehigh County sales during the month of April topped the million mark. . . . The graduating class of Penn State College bought a \$5,000 War Bond instead of the traditional class gift for the college. . . . Private Michael Kukuvka, Somerset, son of foreign born parents, is showing how it should be done by spending \$20 of his \$36 monthly army pay on War Bonds.

### Daughters of America Conduct District Meeting

A school of instruction occurred last evening when Bucks District, No. 1, Daughters of America, held a session in F. P. A. hall, with 65 in attendance. Bristol Council, No. 58, of which Mrs. Charles Bunting is councillor, was hostess. On this occasion, the associate councillor, Mrs. Oscar Schoenfeld, Hulmeville, served as councillor.

A number of speeches were made. Among the guests were: State councillor, Mrs. Hattie Bishop, Archbald; associate state councillor, Mrs. Fern Wickersham, Toughkenamon; past state councillor, Mrs. Charles Hall, Philadelphia; and national representative, Charles Hall, Philadelphia.

Councillors represented were: Philadelphia, Toughkenamon, Lansdale, Coatesville, Norristown, and Bristol. Mrs. Ruth Joseph, of Lansdale, the district deputy, presided. Gifts of money were presented to the state officers and the deputies of the councils.

A social period was arranged by the good of the order committee.

### OFFICIAL BALLOT COUNT COMPLETED

Required 10 Hours, Due To Numerous Names Written In Blank Spaces

### SENATOR JAMES LEADS

DOYLESTOWN, May 23.—The official count of the vote cast in the primary election in Bucks County on Tuesday was completed in the office of the election commission yesterday. It required 10 hours. Some time was lost, due to the fact of names being written in blank spaces on a number of Democratic ballots where no candidates had been listed, such as senator in the general assembly, and representative in the general assembly.

General Edward Martin's majority over Senator James J. Davis, as a candidate for Republican nomination for governor was 4,908.

Howard I. James, Esq., of Bristol, the present senator in the general assembly, and a candidate for renomination, led the ticket with a vote 8,301. Wilson L. Yeakel, candidate for general assembly, was second high man, with a vote of 7,388.

In Bristol Township, Lower, Second District, one vote was cast for P. Clair Ross for the Republican nomination for governor. Ross was a Democratic candidate.

Luther Harr, Democratic candidate for governor, carried Bucks County with a vote of 1,094. The vote for P. Clair Ross in Bucks County, as a Democratic candidate for governor, was 979. Ross won in the State.

The official count shows the following: Republican—Governor, Davis, 2115; Martin, 7023; Lieut. Governor: Bell, 7903; Hamilton, 1130; Turner, 469.

Secretary of Internal Affairs: Smith, 1552; Livengood, 6847.

Judge of Supreme Court: Stearns, 6355; McClenahan, 214; Fine, 449; Williams, 1342.

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### 3 Soldiers and Civilian Hurt in Motor Accident

TRENTON, N. J., May 23.—Three soldiers and a civilian were injured and more than 20 other soldiers suffered minor hurts and shock late yesterday afternoon when a Trenton Transit Company bus and a Fort Dix army truck, in convoy, collided at the intersection of Routes 25 and 39, at Bordentown. The injured were bus passengers.

Taken to the Station Hospital at Fort Dix were Frank Hoff, 28, River Road, Yardley, a civilian working at the army post, who suffered body injuries.

Private Jack Siegel, 23, of Company B, 95th Quartermaster Regiment, suffering from a compound fracture of the leg.

Private Fred Floriano, 30, 1129 Recruit Reception Centre, treated for severe lacerations and shock.

Private Thomas Gaffney, 27, of the same company suffering for severe lacerations of the face.

Julian A. Harris, R. D. 1, Morrisville, driver of the bus, escaped injury, as did the operator of the army truck.

The injured were taken to the hospital by an ambulance in the truck convoy and a second ambulance summoned from the fort. The other soldiers were given first aid at the scene.

The bus was traveling from the post to this city with 48 soldiers, most of them with week-end passes. The other 15 soldiers who were shaken up and bruised were riding in the convoy.

The crash blocked the road and held up traffic for some time. Meanwhile traffic was rerouted by Troopers Koenig and Goolley, of the Columbus State Police barracks, and Patrolmen Joseph Girkin, of Bordentown.

Floriano's home is in New York City, and Siegel's in Brooklyn. Gaffney's address was not immediately available.

### W. S. C. S. ELECTS

The Women's Society of Christian Service of Harriman Methodist Church, met Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. John Moyer, North Radcliffe St. Two new officers were elected, Mrs. John Moyer, president; and Mrs. Edward Knetter, vice president. A social hour and refreshments were enjoyed.

## TO PRESENT FLAG TO HOLY PROVIDENCE SCHOOL, CORNWELLS

Bracken Post Will Visit Institution Tomorrow Afternoon

### MEMORIAL SERVICES

Post Members and Sons of Veterans to Hold Services at Tullytown

Robert W. Bracken Post, No. 382, American Legion, and the Colonel J. M. Gosline Camp, Sons of Union Veterans, tomorrow will conduct their usual Memorial services in the communities of Tullytown and Cornwells Heights.

The groups, accompanied by the members of the Cadet Drum and Bugle Corps, American Legion Auxiliary and Junior Auxiliary, will leave the Bracken Post home at 12:30 p. m., Sunday, journeying to the Eastern end of Tullytown borough. Forming a line of march at what is known as Burton's Lane, the group, accompanied by Tullytown Boy Scouts and school pupils, will parade through that borough, to Tullytown Cemetery, where memorial services will be held. The Rev. W. E. Preston Haas, pastor of Bristol Methodist Church, will speak; and Tullytown pupils will present special numbers.

Going then to Cornwells Heights, the parade will form in front of Bensalem Township high school at about 2:30 o'clock. Marching to the Vandegrift burial ground, the group will conduct a short service; and the Rev. Wesley Radcliffe, pastor of Cornwells Methodist Church, will deliver a message.

Sons of Union Veterans firing squad

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### Attendants-To-Be Plan Shower for Anna Dick

EDGELEY, May 23.—Miss Anna Dick was tendered a surprise miscellaneous shower on Thursday evening in Dick's Hall by her attendants-to-be, the Misses Sophie and Katherine Dick and Stella Kurko. The hall was decorated in white, with a large pink and blue umbrella hanging from the center of the hall with streamers forming a circle under which the honored one sat to unwrap the gifts.

Games and dancing formed the entertainment for the evening with a buffet supper being served.

The invited guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bergmann, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Repas, Mrs. Marge Culbertson, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bryner, Mrs. Joseph Wolvin, Mr. Albert Lodge, Mrs. Henry Shogda, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Dick, Mrs. Andrew Firce, Mrs. Catherine Felkner, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Dick, the Misses Florence Wright, Alice Wolvin, Julia Firce, Claire Culbertson, Anna Shogda, Leah Hillborn, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hibbs and daughters, Ralph Linck, Stanley and Joseph Dick, Mr. and Mrs. John Dick, Anna Rozat, Stanley Felkner, Edgely; Mrs. Mary Squillace, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Messera, Mrs. Olga Baron, Kathryn Zack, Anne Leszak, Mrs. Mary Elchenko, Mrs. Virginia Klepyznysky, Mrs. Anna Kurko and son Michael, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dick, Mrs. Albert Lamb, Mrs. Eva Monti, Mrs. H. Conover and daughter Mildred, Bristol; Mr. and Mrs. Albin Krempecke, Mrs. Raymond Dick, Mrs. Alfred Rothstein, Trenton, N. J.; Mrs. Harold Fitch, Cornwells Heights; Mrs. Chester Felkner, Philadelphia, Mrs. Milton Stevens, Hulmeville; Mrs. Kenneth Burnet, Madison, N. J.; and Mrs. Anne Moughey, of Ohio.

BABY BOY ARRIVES

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rafferty, Mineola, L. I., are the parents of a son born two weeks ago in the Jewish Memorial Hospital, New York. Mr. Rafferty formerly resided on Buckley street.

One Man's Opinion

By WALTER KIERNAN (I. N. S. Staff Writer)

We are still beating each other's brains out to win the war.

The "Little Flower's" petals shriveled from the heat of the blast delivered by Defense Director Landis.

Old Fiorello always has been a great hand at roasting his critics and now he is on the fire.

Landis says "Irresponsible utterances are second only to giving information to the enemy."

That's what Fiorello has been saying about his critics.

And so we have a lovely little circle now of good Americans slashing away at each other with potato mashers.

Each one hinting that the other guy is certainly doing a good turn for Hitler and Hirohito.

And proving once more that many can give it but can't take it.

Thought for the day: How's about an Armistice on name calling?

LOCAL WEATHER OBSERVATIONS

FOR 24 HOUR PERIOD ENDING 8 A. M.

AT ROHM & HAAS WEATHER OBSERVATORY BRISTOL, PA.

Temperature Readings

Maximum	74 F
Minimum	62 F
Range	12 F

Hourly Temperatures

8 a. m. yesterday	67
9	70
10	73
11	72
12 noon	69
1 p. m.	71
2	73
3	74
4	74
5	72
6	72
7	71
8	70
9	69
10	66
11	65
12 midnight	65
1 a. m. today	65
2	65
3	64
4	64
5	63
6	62
7	62
8	64

P. C. Relative Humidity 99

Precipitation (inches) trace of rain

TIDES AT BRISTOL

High water	9.04 a. m., 9.40 p. m.
Low water	3.47 a. m., 4.20 p. m.



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## RACE AGAINST TIME

American newspaper correspondents released from internment in Germany seem to agree that the great military crisis of the war will come this summer—that the conflict is resolving itself into a race against time.

The correspondents feel that a showdown is near and that the tide of war will definitely turn against Hitler unless the all-out campaigns of the next few months are successful. The all-out campaigns include the launching of 200 to 300 divisions in a huge attempt to crush Russia and the dispatching of 180 to 300 submarines to decimate Allied shipping in the Atlantic.

According to information gathered by the American newspapermen before their release, Germany has no lack of men or munitions for the big 1942 campaigns, but is losing ground in plane production. Hitler is reported to be staking virtually everything on a supreme effort at a knockout of Russia before the growing military and industrial power of the United States can have a decisive effect.

For that reason, Hitler is said to be aiming a mighty blow at the Soviet forces and the Caucasus oil fields and in the meantime trying to cripple American aid to Russia and Britain.

The Nazi program is a desperate gamble in the apparent knowledge that if the program fails, the Axis falls.

Arrayed against the all-out Nazi effort are the formidable forces of Soviet Russia, the increasing effectiveness of the Royal Air Force in destroying German war production, and the determination of the United States to keep munitions flowing to her Allies.

The Russians can be depended upon to fight with fanatical fury against the German invaders of their homeland. The British are committed to a steady aerial bombardment of German military objectives. And the United States shows definite signs of overcoming the shipping bottleneck which has hampered the transportation of munitions.

Friday was Maritime Day. On that day thirty vessels went down the ways in the greatest mass launching of merchant ships since the huge American shipbuilding program started. Admiral Emory S. Land, chairman of the Maritime Commission, emphasizes that although the launchings were part of the Maritime Day ceremonies, no launchings had been delayed to make it possible. So far this year, about 170 freighters have been completed. Sixty have been launched so far this month. The program calls for 2,300 ships to be built this year and next.

Mass launchings of cargo vessels on Maritime Day marked the beginning of the two-ships-a-day production rate for the American shipyards. This is a tremendous increase in shipbuilding, but it is not the limit. A White House announcement says the program is on schedule, but that a shortage of merchant tonnage will continue until sinkings are brought under control and the building program hits its peak. Progress is being made in both directions.

It is evident that if the Axis is racing against time, so are the Allies. The contrast might be likened to that between a sprinter and a miler. The sprinter has the speed, but the miler has the stamina. The Allies must hang on until the sprinter exhausts himself. If they can do that, they can go on to win.

# CHURCH NEWS .... FICTION .... OTHER INTERESTS

## INTERMEDIATE LEAGUE MEMBERS WILL SPEAK

Young People To Give Report of North District Convention on Sunday

## THE LOCAL SERVICES

Members of the Intermediate Epworth League will give reports of the North District Convention being held yesterday and today at Bethlehem when they gather for a meeting in Bristol Methodist Church tomorrow evening at six o'clock.

Services for the day at the church will also include:

9:45, Church School session; 11 a. m., Divine worship, guest preacher, the Rev. Samuel K. McConnell, D. D., of Philadelphia, will tell of the work of saving the New Testament to young men in the armed forces; three p. m., Junior Epworth League; eight p. m., union service in Bristol Methodist Church, with the Rev. Willis H. Bolte, pastor of First Baptist Church, preaching.

## Presbyterian Church of Our Saviour

Saturday, spaghetti supper, 5:30 to seven.

Sunday morning worship, 10, the Rev. Francis J. Panetta will speak in English and Italian; 11 a. m., Sunday School, under leadership of Ralston Hedrich; junior choir, seven p. m.; evening service, eight.

Tuesday, seven p. m., senior choir; Thursday, four, J. C. E.; eight p. m., young people meet.

## St. James' P. E. Church

Services for Whitsunday: 8:00 a. m., Holy Communion; 9:30 a. m., Church School and Bible classes; 10:45 a. m., Holy Communion and sermon; 6:45 p. m., Young People's Fellowship. The Mother's Guild will meet on Tuesday in the parish house; new Forward Books are at the church for the summer season.

## First Baptist Church

Walnut and Cedar streets; Church School, 10 a. m., lesson theme, "The Last Day With the Disciples"; William Cooper, superintendent; morning worship, 11, junior and senior choirs, message by the pastor, the Rev. Willis H. Bolte, sermon theme, "A Fervent Spirit."

## Bristol Presbyterian Church

The services in the Bristol Presbyterian Church on the Sabbath will be as follows: 9:45 a. m., Church School, under direction of Fred Herman and Adrian Bustraan; 10 a. m., men's Bible class, taught by the pastor; 11, morning worship service, sermon by the pastor; seven p. m., Senior Christian Endeavor.

## Calvary Baptist Church

Sunday: 9:45 a. m., Bible School, free bus service; 11, morning worship, message from First Timothy; 6:45, prayer group; seven p. m., special evangelistic service, vocal duets by the MacArthur Boys—Jack, age 9; "Buddy," age 12; also Bernard Morris, trumpeter; message by the pastor, "The Final Judgment." A 50-page book by Pastor Strauss entitled "An Examination of the Doctrine of Jehovah's Witnesses," will be given away free.

Tuesday, eight p. m., praise, prayer, and Bible study.

## Harrison Methodist Church

Edward K. Knetter, minister, 255 Harrison street; services for Sunday are: Church School, ten a. m.; morning service, 11:15, sermon, "The Re-echo of the Cross," evening service,

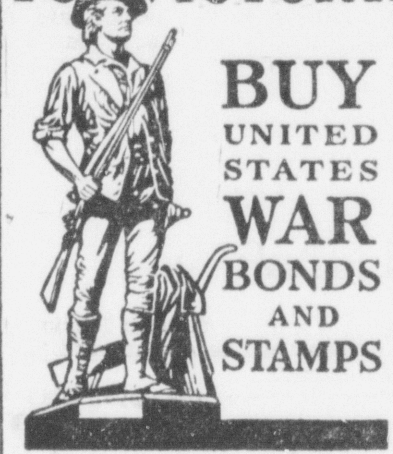
eight p. m., the Youth Fellowship of the church is combining with the Youth Fellowship of Bristol Methodist Church in conducting the evening service. Elmer Esser, of Philadelphia, will show motion pictures of Pocono Institute of 1941, and the entire program will be one of interest and inspiration.

There is to be a covered dish supper on Monday evening at 6:30 p. m. for the Woman's Society and men's group; after the supper an evening of Christian fellowship will be enjoyed; Thursday, 6:30 p. m., Boy Scouts; choir rehearsal, Friday at eight p. m.; junior choir, Saturday, ten a. m.

## HULMEVILLE

Joseph O. Canby is one of the eight Pennsylvania Holstein breeders elected to represent the state at the 57th annual convention of The Holstein-Friesian Association of America, to be held at Hotel Curtis, Minneapolis, Minn., June 2-3.

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# Random Harvest

## SYNOPSIS

A chance meeting between two strangers aboard an English railway train on Armistice Day, 1937, focusses interest in an extraordinary lost memory mystery. One of the two is Charles Rainier, member of Parliament and steel millionaire. He remembers nothing from the time of a shell-shock near Arras early in 1917 until nearly three years later when he recovered his own identity on a park bench in Liverpool. The other stranger, named Harrison, is relating the story. In 1938, Harrison was hired to succeed a Miss Hobbs as Rainier's secretary. Miss Hobbs idolizes Rainier but does not like his wife who is famous for her "celebrity parties." Harrison has just asked Miss Hobbs if Rainier had ever tried to solve the mystery of those "missing" three years.

## CHAPTER SEVEN

"You mean, did he try to remember things?" Miss Hobbs asked. "Well, more than that—didn't he ever consult anybody—specialists, psychoanalysts, or anyone?"

"You don't know him, or you wouldn't ask that. The last thing he'd ever do is to go to anybody and tell them things about himself. The only person he ever did talk to was someone he'd known at Cambridge, some professor—Freeman, I think his name was."

"You mean Dr. Freeman—the Dr. Freeman?"

"Maybe he was a doctor."

"A tall white-haired man with a stoop?"

"Yes, that was him—he used to visit Charles a good deal before the marriage. You know him?"

"Slightly. Why not since the marriage?"

"He didn't like parties, and I don't think he liked Mrs. Rainier for beginning all that sort of life for Charles. She's very ambitious, you know. People say she'll make him Prime Minister before she's finished."

I laughed—having heard similar remarks myself, followed as a rule by some ribald comment on her party-giving technique. Miss Hobbs added: "Not that she isn't a good hostess—that I will say."

Since the point was raised, it seemed to me that Mrs. Rainier was too good, and that for this reason she might miss the secret English bull's-eye that can only be hit by guns sighted to a 97 or 98 per cent degree of accuracy. Anything more than that, even if achievable, is dangerous in England, because English people mistrust perfection, regarding it in manners as the stigma of foreignness. Just as they suspect it in technical products of dentistry. All this, of course, I did not discuss with Miss Hobbs.

I saw Freeman a few days later. He had been a rather impressive figure at Cambridge, in my time as well as Rainier's, but had recently retired to live at Richmond with an unmarried sister. It was probably a lonely life, and he seemed glad to hear my voice on the telephone and to accept an invitation to dinner. I had known him fairly well, since he had long been president of the Philosophical Society and I in my last year its vice president, and though he had written several standard works on psychology he was not psychologist enough to suspect an ulterior motive behind my apparent eagerness to look him up and talk over old times.

We met at Boulestin's that same evening. After waiting patiently till the inevitable question as to what I was doing with myself nowadays, I said that I had become Rainier's secretary.

"Ah, Rainier—yes," he muttered, as if raking over memories. And he added, with a thin chuckle: "Well, history won't repeat itself."

"How do you mean?"

"He married one of them."

"You mean Mrs. Rainier? You mean she was his secretary before Miss Hobbs?"

"Oh, the Hobbs woman was with him all the time—a family help. Must be forty now, if she's a day. What did she do at last—retire?"

"She's leaving to get married."

"Heavens—I never thought her turn would come. What the lucky man? But I can at least tell myself—Rainier is to get rid of her."

"You know her then?"

"Hardly at all, I'm glad to say. But she used to write me the most ridiculous notes whenever Rainier made an appointment to see me. They were supposed to be from him, but I found out quite casually afterwards that she forged his name to 'em. . . . Aboard notes—it interested me, as a psychologist, that she should have thought them appropriate."

"But to come back to Mrs. Rainier—"



As to Mrs. Rainier, "She worked in his city office," said the psychologist. "These great magnates have platoons of secretaries."

"Oh, she worked in his City office, I think. A different dynasty. These great magnates have platoons of secretaries."

"Queer Miss Hobbs never mentioned it. I should have thought it was something she'd have liked to drive home."

"On a point of psychology I think you're wrong. She'd prefer to conceal the fact though they were both, so to say, equal at the starting post, the other woman won."

"Maybe. I gather you know Rainier rather well?"

"I used to. You see, I began with the initial advantage of meeting him anonymously."

"I'm not quite clear what you mean."

He expanded further over a glass of brandy. "Rainier's a peculiar fellow. He has a curious fear of his own identity. He lets you get to know him best when he doesn't think you know who he is. . . . It's an interesting kink, psychologically. I first met him through Werneth, who was his tutor at St. Swinthin's. Apparently he told Werneth about—or well, perhaps I ought not to discuss it, but it was something interesting to me—as a psychologist—but not particularly to Werneth, who was a mere historian." Again the cackle. "Anyhow, Werneth could only get his permission to pass it on to me by promising not to divulge his name, and on hearing what it was all about I was so interested that we actually arranged a meeting—again anonymously—I wasn't supposed to know who he was. . . . But I'll tell you into a secret—Werneth had told me, privately, beforehand—unscrupulous fellow, Werneth. And then one morning several months later I couldn't find my bicycle outside the college gate after a lecture, but in its place was a similar model with the name 'Charles Rainier' on it. I made his mistake an excuse to call on him—and I must say—after the opening embarrassment—we very soon became friends." He added: "And now, of course, I know what you're going to ask me, but being less unscrupulous than Werneth I can't tell you."

"I don't think you need, because I already know about Rainier's—"

peculiarity. I suppose it was that. Suppose you tell me first of all what that is."

"The blank patch in his life that he can't remember."

"A rather modest description." "No doubt, and that's why I'd very much like to hear your own." He smiled. "It was an unusual case—but I've heard of several similar ones. They're recorded, you know, in technical journals. Rainier had—if one might so put it—certain threads of recollection about the blank period, though they were so faint as to be almost nonexistent at first. After he left Cambridge, we didn't meet again for ten years—by that time the threads had be-

come a little less faint. It was my aim when I came to know Rainier again after the ten-year interval, to sort out those threads, to disentangle them—to expand them, as it were, into a complete corpus of memory."

"I understand. But you didn't succeed."

"Are you asking me that or telling me?"

"Both, in a way."

He said, smiling: "My expectation all along had been that his full memory would eventually return—a little bit here, a little bit there—till finally, like a key turning in a lock, or like the last few pieces of a jigsaw puzzle, the whole thing would slip into position. But I gathered that it hasn't yet happened."

"The bits are still being assembled, but nowhere near to completion."

"Tell me, Harrison, if I may ask the question—why are you taking such a keen interest in this matter? Hardly duties of the sort of secretarial duties. . . . Or is it?"

"I like him and I hate to see him bothered by it as he still is. That's the only reason."

"A good one."

"Now you tell me something—have you any theories about the blank patch?"

"Theories? I can only guess it was a pretty bad time. He was injured, if I remember rightly, just above the left parietal bone of the . . . He went off into a medical survey that conveyed nothing to me. It was an injury that would require operative treatment—perhaps a series of operations. That's why it's perhaps a pity that he still bothers, as you say he does. Even if complete recollection were to return to him now, it would probably be only of pain, unhappiness, boredom."

"On the other hand, even such memories might be better than an increasing obsession about the loss of them?"

"Possibly."

We were silent for a time after that. Presently I said: "You know he was taken prisoner by the Germans?"

(To be continued)

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## REDSKINS KNOW HOW

SOUTH JUNCTION, Ore.—(INS)—White people may have a lot to teach the American Indians, but the redskins can show their paleface neighbors a thing or two, in the opinion of Mrs. Otis Marshall, white mother who lives across the Deschutes River from the Warm Springs Indian Reservation.

Mrs. Marshall's three-month-old, Robert, rides on her back most of his waking hours just as the Indian papooses do—on a rosewood "tekash" or baby board. The "tekash," presented to Mrs. Marshall by Indian friends, is made of rosewood, buckskin and soft cloth.

## FOLLY AT WILLOW GROVE

Last night Larry Fotin brought his popular dance orchestra to Willow Grove Park's Casino ballroom; and tomorrow night Chuck Gordon and his band, and vocalist Carlotta Dale, will set the pace for dance patrons. On Sundays and holidays at three, seven and nine p. m., in the music pavilion, Frankie (Comic Costume) Schluth presents one of his scintillating all star stage shows featuring vaudeville "headliners" of stage and screen.

## ON THE SCREENS

## GRAND THEATRE

Even though Betty Grable is noted for her "hot-cha" style of dancing, involving such terpsichorean talents as taps, bodily gyrations of the jitterbug variety, and much delightful torso-twisting, few people know that the lovely Betty spent considerable time preparing herself for a career in all of the various dancing arts.

Her current role in "Song of the Islands," the Technicolor musical, which will be on view today at the Grand Theatre, calls for a combination of hulas with more modern interpretations of South Seas dances.

Betty worked out her own streamlined versions of the hula with the aid of dance director Hermes Pan, but retained much of the beauty and smooth-flowing grace of the traditional dance.

Audie Hardy's modernistic lingo is contagious. It has even spread to Judge Hardy! In "The Courtship of

Audie Hardy," latest picture in the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer series opening Sunday at the Grand Theatre, this is one of the salty slang phrases used by Lewis Stone, in his role as the Judge. Speaking to staid Ma Hardy, he boldly remarks, "Patch my panty-waist, mother. You're a ball of fire in that outfit!"

## BRISTOL THEATRE

Co-starring Veronica Lake and Joel McCrea, "Sullivan's Travels" is at the Bristol Theatre.

Veronica, who scored so impressively in "I Wanted Wings" as an alluring siren, was chosen for the chief feminine role in the uproarious comedy.

Buck Jones, who appears with Tim McCoy and Raymond Hatton as one member of the famous "Rough Riders" in "Ghost Town Law," currently being shown at the Bristol Theatre, was one of the first members of the First Aviation Squadron of the United States Army.

Tomorrow, "Broadway Big Shot" and "The Men In Her Life" will be shown.

## RITZ THEATRE

"Skylark," the fast-moving satire on domestic life now at the Ritz Theatre, is one of the most amusing screen-plays of the year. Reuniting Claudette Colbert and Ray Milland by popular demand, "Skylark" is a gay version of what a love-starved wife will do to stir up a bonfire under her neglectful husband.

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## PARTIES

## SOCIAL EVENTS

## ACTIVITIES

Morning Ceremony Unites  
Miss Harton and Mr. O'Brien

A wedding in St. Mark's R. C. Church, this morning at the hour of nine, attracted a large company of relatives and friends, when Miss Mary E. Harton became the bride of Mr. John O'Brien, son of Mrs. Sarah C'Brien, 567 Linden street.

The bride, the daughter of Mrs. Addie Harton, Doylestown, is the niece of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Roche, 531 Locust street, with whom she has been residing. Mr. Roche gave his niece in marriage.

For the ceremony, performed by the Rev. Fr. Paul Baird, Miss Katherine Keating, Linden street, provided organ music. She was also the accompanist for Miss Laura Pope, Linden street, and Miss Alice Rafferty, Buckley street.

Miss Miriam Dougherty, Linden street, was bridesmaid; and Mr. George Elmer, Locust street, a brother-in-law of the groom, served in the capacity of best man.

As she entered the church, escorted by Mr. Roche, the bride looked attractive in a handsome gown of white tulle, with lace and for vertical insets from the shoulders to the hem-line. The long sleeves ended in points over the hands; they being enhanced at the shoulders by shirring as was also the front of the bodice. The sequin tulle held a finger-tip veil of tulle. The arm bouquet of the bride was composed of white roses.

Miss Dougherty was attired in blue marquisette and lace, the gown being floor length. She wore a blue sequin tiara, with matching face veil; blue lace gloves, white slippers; and carried an arm bouquet of mixed flowers.

A wedding breakfast was served to members of the immediate families at the Keystone Hotel. Mr. O'Brien and bride will week-end in Atlantic City, N. J. For the journey the former Miss Harton has selected a rose silk jacket, dress, white straw hat with blue veil, and white slippers. Her corsage will be of gardenias. The two will make their home with the groom's mother.

The bride is a graduate of St. Mark's School. Mr. O'Brien, who graduated from Northeast Catholic High School, and McCall Trade School, Philadelphia, is employed at the plant of Rohm & Haas Company.

## Today's Quiet Moment

(By the Rev. James R. Galley)

Pastor, Bristol Presbyterian Church

Most holy and Most gracious God, who turnest the shadow of night into morning, satisfy us early with Thy mercy, that we may rejoice and be glad all the day. Send the light of Thy countenance upon us; calm every troubled thought, and guide us in the way of peace—both physically and spiritually. Perfect Thy strength in our weakness, and help us to worship Thee in spirit and in truth. In the Name of Jesus. Amen.

## Events For Tonight

Card party, in K. of C. home, sponsored by Catholic Daughters. Table assignment, 8 p. m.

## In a Personal Way . . .

INTERESTING bits of news mainly about people you know. A chronicle of the activities of the people of Bristol; their goings and comings. . . .

To arrange for publication of weddings, telephone The Bristol Courier, Bristol 346, notifying at least a few days in advance the date of ceremony. Engagement announcements must be submitted in writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kirk, Beaver Road, are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a daughter Saturday in the Wagner Hospital. The baby has been named Nancy Jane. Mrs. Kirk was formerly Miss Ruth Ludwig.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Ferrara, Lafayette street, on Wednesday, in the Wagner Hospital. The baby is named Genevieve, and weighed six pounds, 10 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hall, Philadelphia, were Thursday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Mitchener, Swain street.

Mrs. Richard Winslow, Mrs. Jack Lynn, Mrs. Arthur Peterson, the Misses Helen Appleton, Elizabeth Wilkinson and Marion Walters, and Mrs. Edwin

Ballinger, were guests of Mrs. Henry Reichert, Holmesburg on Wednesday evening at a musical tea held at the Holmesburg Presbyterian Church. Mrs. Peterson rendered two vocal solos.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. McNally have moved from Dorrance street to Selbyville, Del.

Dominick Cimini, Providence, R. I., has been spending two weeks' vacation with Mr. and Mrs. James Conca, Taylor street.

Gene Nichols, Fort Monmouth, N. J., spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William B. Nichols, Wood St. family, Babylon, L. I.; and Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Persichillo and family, Jersey City, N. J., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. Stallone, Logan street.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Brown, Philadelphia, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Doran, Beaver street.

Miss Ellen Downing and Miss Harriet Ancker, Radcliffe street; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Downing, William Downing and William Richardson, Bath street, attended the graduation exercises of nurses at the Episcopal Hospital, Philadelphia, on Wednesday evening. Miss Arley Downing was a member of the graduation class.

## CROYDON

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Butterworth entertained at a family dinner on Sunday, in honor of the graduation of their son, Roy, Jr. Those attending were: Mrs. Ellen Keating, Sanbury; Mrs. Ida Butterworth, Horsham; Mr. and Mrs. William Hallman, Philadelphia; Mr. and Mrs. Pay Sands, Horsham; Wil-

liam Butterworth, New York City; Miss Dorothy Kerr, Brooklyn, N. Y. Mrs. Keating spent this week at the home of Mrs. Roy Butterworth.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Waters and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Shreack and children, Henrietta and Walter, Jr., motored to Schwenksville, where they were Sunday guests of Mrs. Herbert Solt.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Haag, Mayfair, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Brantigan.



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## Building and Contracting

ELECTRICAL CONTRACTOR—George P. Bailey, Phone Bristol 7125.

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MILLER'S DUMP TRUCK—Service—Dump trucks to hire with drivers. Ph. Bristol 544.

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## Employment

Help Wanted—Female 63

FOR GENERAL HOUSEWORK—Young woman. No laundry. Good wages. Sleep out. Must have references. Write to Box 265, Courier.

WAITRESSES—Must be over 21. Apply Bristol House, phone 9857.

WOMAN—To take care of invalid man and 6 yr. old girl. In Maple Shade 9 a. m. to 4.30 p. m. State salary. Phone Bristol 7762, or write P. O. Box 604, Croydon.

WOMAN—To do light housework; no laundry, no children. Short hours. Write P. O. Box 184, Croydon.

GIRL—For fountain work. Exper. not necessary. Apply Harry Straus, 407 Mill St.

EXPERIENCED BEAUTICIAN—For local beauty shop. Apply Edna Mae Beauty Shoppe, 325 Mill St.

GIRL OR YOUNG WOMAN—For care of 2 children, light housework, good wages. Call after 6.30 p. m. Apply 315 Walnut St.

## Help Wanted—Male

MAN—For warehouse, able to do heavy work & lifting. Permanent work. Give full details in reply. Write Box 315, Courier.

EXPER. SAW OPERATORS—2nd shift, 5 p. m. to 1.30 a. m.; on house material; also 6 carpenters, day work. Allied Housing Corp., Beaver Road, Bristol.

MAN—To drive milk truck. Apply Dyer's Dairy, Lafayette St.

## Financial

Investments—Stocks, Bonds 39

BRISTOL BUILDING ASSOCIATION—New series Monday, June 1, 1942. Single and double payment plan. Entrance fee, 25c per share. Safe and profitable. The 45th series matured with April payment 1942. Stockholder paid in \$143.00 per share and received \$200.00. Profit \$57.00 per share. Subscribe at the office of the Secretary at any time or on the night of the June meeting. An Association now over seventy-five years old. Horace N. Davis, Sec'y., 205 Radcliffe St., Bristol, Pa.

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WANTED—Live healthy rabbits and guinea pigs. Highest prices paid promptly. State quantity and sizes in first letter. ROCKLAND FARMS, Box B-276, New City, N. Y. Established 21 years.

## Merchandise for Sale

Articles for Sale 51

25 FT. OF IRON FENCE—Including gate. Call Saturday morning. A. G. Herman, 521 Radcliffe St.

200 EMPTY GALLON BOTTLES—Finigan's Drug Store, 1614 Farragut avenue.

## Building Materials

SAND—Stone, cement, used brick, cinders, back fill & top soil. Miller's, building materials, Ph. Bristol 544.

## Business and Office Equipment

COMPLETE SAND WASH EQPT.—Pump, rotary screen, barge, cutter head, 3 engines, tanks, loader, pipe, etc. \$500. Write Harry Bartolett, 2941 "E" Street, Philadelphia.

10 OAK CHAIRS—Bar and back bar, triple window frame, sash & weights. Prof's Radio Shop, Mill St.

DELICATESSEN STORE—Fixtures for sale; also some household articles. Apply 318 Mill St.

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## Seeds, Plants, Flowers

PLANTS—Aster & snapdragon, 25c doz., or 3 doz. for 50c. Harry Molden, Jr., Bath Rd. Ph. Bristol 2482.

PLANTS FOR SALE—Geraniums, 5 for \$1; bedding geraniums, 6 for \$1; petunias; verbenas; ageratum, 3 for 25c; snapdragons; verbenas transplanted, 3 doz 25c; pepper, tomato, etc. plants. Buy now and save. Vattimo's Greenhouse, rear of 617 Cedar.

## Specials at the Stores

WALLPAPER—Complete room lots for any room in the house, size 9'x12' \$1.15, incl. sidewall, ceiling & border. Chas. Richman, 414 Mill St.

## Wanted—To Buy

CHICKEN COOP—Very clean & reas. Phone Bristol 2155.

## Real Estate for Rent

Rooms with Board 67

BOARDING—Colonial homestead, 3 baths; home garden; spacious grounds. Phone Bristol 2708.

## Rooms without Board

FURNISHED ROOMS, 2—Men preferred. Apply 900 Pond St., Bristol.

CABINS—And turn rooms. Close to Bristol & Trenton (gentlemen only). Reas. weekly rates. Ph. Langhorne 2019 after 7 p. m.

FURNISHED ROOM—Suitable for 3 gentlemen. Centrally located. Young men pref. 215 Walnut St.

SINGLE ROOM—Without board, all conv. gentlemen pref. 234 Walnut St. Phone 2548.

2 FURN. ROOMS & BATH—Private entrance, adults only. Write Box 314, Courier.

FURN. ROOM—For men only. C. D. Oakley, Durham Rd., S. Langhorne. Phone Lang. 2077.

FURNISHED ROOMS—Twin beds, men only, all conv. Mrs. McKnight, 128 Buckley St.

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APARTMENT—Bedroom, living room, bath, kitchenette, gar. h. w. & h. w., electric range, modernized. Phone Langhorne 2187.

FURNISHED APTS.—One 3 rms. and one 4 rms. & bath. Large veranda & shady lawn. C. D. Oakley, Durham Rd. S. Langhorne. Ph. Lang. 2077.

## Garages—For Rent

DOUBLE GARAGE—Cor. Wood and Washington St. Phone Bristol 7752.

## Wanted—To Rent



# DUGAN TO TURN PRO AND MAKE DEBUT IN ST. ANN'S ARENA

Bristol Light-Heavyweight To Box Sam Corell, of Salem, N. J.

## THREE PRELIMINARIES

Dugan Won Diamond Belt and Middle A. A. U. Title

Joseph (Johnny) Dugan, brilliant young Bristol light-heavyweight, has decided to turn pro and will make his salaried debut at the St. Ann's A. A. open air arena on Monday night, June 1st.

Dugan, winner of the Middle Atlantic A. A. U. 175-pound sub-novice championship at Philadelphia this past winter, will fight Sam Corell, of Salem, N. J., in one of three four-round preliminaries to the Tony Maglione-Henry Blackwell windup. Promoter Clement Cipprone announced today.

The Maglione-Blackwell show will usher in what Cipprone hopes will be a busy summer of ring activity at the St. Ann's enclosure.

Dugan, punching pride of Bristol's Third Ward, won the Diamond Belt and Middle Atlantic A. A. U. title in the sub-novice division of a Philadelphia newspaper tournament. He defeated Joseph VanLoon, of the Wharton Club, in the final round. Jack Dempsey was the referee of the bout.

Other found-rounders on the June 1st card, besides the Dugan-Corell bout, will pit Joe Waldron, also of Bristol, against Billy Williams, of Mount Holly, and Clem Kinsey, Trenton Negro middleweight, against Stanley Perock, of Bethlehem Steel.

# SLUGGER JIM

By Jack Sord



# MAYFAIR NINE TO MEET BRISTOL A. A.

By Jack Gill

The Bristol A. A. baseball club will attempt to win its second game of the season, tomorrow, by taking on the strong Mayfair nine of the Philadelphia City League. It will mark the third start of the year for the local swingers who defeated Meehan in their first start and lost to the Liberty Colored Stars in their second fray.

Manager Johnny Mulholland will start Danny Keegan on the hill in hope of gaining another triumph. The former R. D. Wood hurler has been pitching great ball in Burlington County and in the local twilight league. Stan Felkner will do the receiving.

## GAME CALLED OFF

The Diamond-Badenhausen game, scheduled for last night, was called off because of wet grounds.

## Official Ballot

### Count Completed

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Judge of Superior Court: Stadfeld, 6743; Smith, 781; Braham, 633. Representative in Congress-at-Large: Cunningham, 915; Jarret, 219; Dawson, 213; Yurkovsky, 36; Harrer, 128; Naugle, 704; Truscott, 455; Troutman, 5585.

Representative in Congress: Gerlach, 7858; Gaumer, 570. Senator in General Assembly: Howard I. James, 8301.

Representative in General Assembly: Wilson L. Yeakel, 7938; Thomas B. Stockham, 7802.

Member of State Committee, A. Harry Clayton, 7607; Eleanor Worthington, 6662.

Grover C. Ladner, candidate on the Democratic ticket for Judge of Supreme Court, was high man on the ticket, with a total vote of 2353.

The name of Wynne James, Jr., Doylestown, was written in 202 times on Democratic ballots as candidate for General Assembly. His name will appear on the Democratic ballot. The name of Harry Gill, Richboro, was written in 62 times on the Democratic ballot as a candidate for Representative in the General Assembly.

The following was the official count of the vote cast for Democratic candidates:

Governor: F. Clair Ross, 979; Luther Harr, 1094; James J. Regan, Jr., 71; Ralph H. Smith, 627; Clarence P. Bowers, 112.

Lieut. Governor: Ramsey S. Black, 1007; Elmer Kilroy, 1613.

Secretary of Internal Affairs: Warren Hess, 1251; Leo A. Achterman, 1264.

Judge of Supreme Court: Grover C. Ladner, 2353.

Judge of Superior Court: Michael A. Musmanno, 2291.

Representative in Congress-at-Large: William M. Leader, 1407; Frank A. Coolahan, 281; Inez B. Peel, 774.

Representative in Congress, Francis L. Collum, 2146.

Senator in General Assembly: Wynne James, Jr., 202; Harry Gill, 62.

Representative in General Assembly: Albert Seifert, 1891; Paul V. Scheetz, 159.

Member of State Committee: Harriet Hancock, 1330; Edward C. Paoletta, 829; Webster S. Achey, 1534; Frances A. Rufe, 1650.

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# BENSALEM BOUNCES BACK INTO CHAMPIONSHIP PICTURE BY BEATING BRISTOL HIGH SCHOOL; SCORE, 3 TO 2

By Jack Gill

Bensalem bounced back into the scholastic baseball championship picture here yesterday afternoon by whipping Bristol, 3-2. The triumph placed the Owls in a first place tie with the Bunnies for the top rung in the league ladder. Dramatically, it came in the last official fray of the season.

A playoff game to decide the lower division championship will be played on the Rohm & Haas field Monday evening at 6:15 p. m. The winner will earn the undisputed right to face the upper division titlists in a series of games to be arranged by league officials.

Catch Woody Wetherhold slipped left handed Hughie Deans on the mound against Bristol yesterday and the portside twirled five hit ball for the five innings he pitched. Jim Roberts relieved him in the sixth and hurled the last two sessions.

It was a tight ball game that was tied at 1-1 until the fifth. In the last frame the Blue and Grey won it on four hits and two damaging Bristol miscues.

Joe Accardi, who has hit safely in every Bristol game this year but one, opened the first frame for the locals by rapping out a double into left field. Skamps Scancelli drove him home with a single into the same sector.

Bensalem broke the lead and knotted the count in the fourth. Adrian, first man to bat, slapped a safety past Massi at third. Pete Everett sent him to second on a successful sacrifice. Mossbrook slapped one down at Sagolla at second and all hands were safe on the error as Adrian scampered to third. Sampsel's infield out brought Adrian home with the tying marker.

Joe Sagolla put Bristol ahead by a 2 to 1 count in the fifth when he lead off with a triple into left. He romped home on Cialella's out.

Jim Hopkins, who had been hurling splendid two hit ball until the last chucker, weakened in the seventh and Bensalem clinched the verdict. Clemmings double, singles by Roberts, Lamb and Hutton and errors by Capriotti and DiAngelo wrecked havoc.

Bensalem		r	h	e	r	r
Lamb	ss	0	1	0	0	0
Hutton	ss	0	1	0	1	0
Adrian	2b	0	1	3	2	1
Everett	1b	0	0	6	0	0
Mossbrook	cf	0	0	2	0	0
Sampsel	2b	0	0	0	1	0
Pleming	c	1	1	2	1	0
Patterson	cf	0	0	1	0	0
Deans	p	0	1	0	0	0
Roberts	cf	1	1	1	1	0
		3	6	21	7	1

Bristol		r	h	e	r	r
Accardi	cf	1	1	0	0	0
Scancelli	ss	0	1	1	0	1
DiAngelo	cf	0	0	1	0	0
Capriotti	c	0	0	2	0	0
Hopkins	p	0	1	1	0	0
Massi	3b	0	0	1	0	0
Davis	1f	0	1	0	0	0
Sagolla	2b	1	1	0	3	1
Cialella	1b	0	0	8	0	0
Potena		0	0	0	0	0
		2	3	21	6	4

Umpire: Klenk. Scores: Hall.

# To Present Flag To Holy Providence School, Cornwells

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will participate in the ceremonies at both points.

Then the Legion members will go to Holy Providence School, St. Elizabeth's Convent, to present a large American flag to the institution. Presentation will be made by John Leslie Kilcoyne, Esq.

On Sunday evening the Legion Auxiliary, Jr. Auxiliary and Goshline Camp members will be present at services in Presbyterian Church of Our Saviour, when Major Andrew G. Solla speaks. Groups will meet at the post home at seven o'clock to proceed to the service.

forces at Kharkov were dislodged from several additional strongly fortified positions today as the Red army stepped up its offensive.

While the Russian forces forced ahead in the Ukraine drive to retake the city, other Soviet units began consolidating strategic positions captured from the Nazis.

Large amounts of military equipment were taken when the Nazis were blasted from a vital stronghold before the city, the Russian high command said.

On another sector of the Kharkov front, the noon communique said, a Nazi counter-attack was repelled and 200 Germans killed. War booty and prisoners were said to have been captured.

A German attempt to cross an unnamed river on the southern front was repulsed, the Soviets said. The Germans retreated after losing more than 200 officers and men.

(Axis reports said meanwhile that German and Romanian forces had undertaken a new drive along the Taganrog-Rostov Railway, in the South-eastern Ukraine, apparently aimed at an attempt to recapture Rostov, gateway to the oil-rich Caucasus.

(German Field Marshal Fedor Von Bock, it was asserted, was concentrating powerfully motorized forces in the Slavyansk region, 110 miles northwest of Taganrog on the sea of Azov. Heavy German detachments, it was claimed, succeeded in advancing north of Slavyansk and occupied two bridgeheads on the left bank of the Donets River in the rear of Soviet positions.)

"During the night of May 22 our troops in the Kharkov direction consolidated their positions and engaged the enemy in offensive battles," the communique said.

"In the eastern end of the Kerch Peninsula fighting continues.

"On other sectors nothing of importance occurred."

(Axis reports asserted that some German units had been withdrawn from the fighting on the Kerch Peninsula and sent into Western Crimea in an effort to knock out the Russian Black Sea naval base at Sevastopol. It was claimed that the besieged base has been under violent bombardment for the past 48 hours by planes of the German Luftwaffe.)

As the Nazi defenses before Kharkov began to crack, an increasing number of Germans were reported surrendering.

# Soviets Continue To Advance; Nazis Throw In Reserves

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today but the Red drive continued toward Kharkov without a pause.

More than 15,000 Germans already have been killed in the last three days of fighting without a single advantage having been gained, official Soviet advice said.

Letters found on the bodies of dead Germans, written under the stress of battle and waiting to be posted, speak time and again of the "terrible losses" suffered. Nazi troops now seem to be impressed that not only tanks and armored cars but their man-power itself now is being overwhelmed by the Russian offensive.

By James F. Brown

(U. N. S. Staff Correspondent) MOSCOW—May 23—German defense

## Coming Events

Organizations whose announcements are printed in this column can reciprocate by having all printing in connection with announced events done by the publishers of this paper. Information must be complete when first given as alterations cannot be made after they have once been put into type.

May 26—Card party in Lodge's hall, Edgely, sponsored by Edgely baseball team.

Card party, at Al's Grille, Edgely, benefit of Edgely baseball team.

June 3—Card party at the home of Mrs. Edward Renk for the benefit of the Mothers' Association, 8:30 p. m.

# The Nation's No. 1 Life Insurance Policy



# SERGEANT PAT OF RADIO PATROL

By EDDIE SULLIVAN and CHARLIE SCHMIDT



June 6—Strawberry festival, given by Ladies Auxiliary, in Union Fire Co. station, Cornwells Heights, 5 to 8 p. m.

June 8—Garden party at "Wayside," Bristol Pike and Byberry Rd., Cornwells Heights, 3 to 8 p. m., sponsored by St. Martha's Guild of Christ Church.

June 8—Card party in P. O. S. of A. hall, sponsored by P. O. of A.

June 10—Dance recital by pupils of Winifred V. Tracy in Mutual Aid Hall, 8:15 p. m.

June 12—Card party in F. P. A. hall, 8:30 p. m., sponsored by Bristol Council, 53 D. of A.

# Township Residents Hear Bomb Lecture

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The meeting was sponsored by the Bristol Township Defense Council and was attended by about 600 people. Each had a small flag and the audience standing took the oath of allegiance.

James W. Harris, director of Bristol Township Defense Council, presided as chairman of the meeting and following introductory remarks introduced Jacob C. Schmidt, Jr., Chief Air Raid Warden for Bristol Township. Mr. Schmidt spoke briefly calling upon the people not to be misled into thinking that the war was near an end.

Colonel Churchill Williams, president of the Bucks County Defense Council, gave a talk describing how the organization of civilian defense is set up in this area and how it will

function in cases of emergency. A group of Boy Scouts under command of H. Stiles, scoutmaster of Boy Scout Troop No. 69, walked upon the stage with a large American flag and led the audience in taking the pledge of allegiance.

The feature speaker of the evening was Joseph A. McGucken, of the Philadelphia Electric Co., and in charge of fire prevention for that company. McGucken spoke concerning the four types of bombs but devoted most of his remarks to the incendiary bomb which he described fully.

McGucken's talk was supplementary to the film "Fighting the Fire Bomb," which was shown and graphically illustrated the lecture.

The audience then adjourned to the high school field where McGucken gave a practical demonstration of how an incendiary bomb acts. He used what is termed a "training candle" to show the action of the bomb.

Music was furnished at the opening by the Bristol high school band.

Chief Hageman of the Bristol Consolidated Fire Department, was present with fire extinguishers and hand equipment at the demonstration given

## Are You Interested In Summer Bowling?

In response to numerous inquiries for Summer Bowling, the management of the Bristol Bowling Center has agreed to continue with a Summer Schedule, if the interest warrants it.

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## Defenders Like These Papers, Army Men Say

Nothing makes a selective service man in camp happier than a letter from home or a home-town newspaper in the daily mail, army officials said recently after an extensive survey.

Next in order, the selective service youth likes sweets such as candy, cookies and chocolates—and chewing gum!

Officers say that on the march the gum helps keep the boys from drinking too much water and from dipping into their lunch ration.

Other offerings which bring a smile of pleasure to the enrollee include a general repertoire of utilities among which are books of stamps, flashlights, a towel now and then, toilet articles, and reading materials.

Officers say that if relatives want to be sure their addressee gets what's mailed to him, they should address the letter or package in this way: Name first, his company or battery second, his regiment third, and, lastly the name of the post office.

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